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## BONUS PROPOSAL ALLOWS PAYMENT TO MEN'S FAMILY

MUCH OPPOSITION FOUND

**Veteran Any Person a Member of Military or Naval Forces From April 5, 1917, to November 12, 1918, Service Would Include Time Served Until July, 1919.**

Washington, March 7.—Final agreement on the compromise soldier bonus bill was reached by the house ways and means Republicans who authorized Fordney to present the measure to the house before adjournment today.

Washington, March 7.—The proposed soldier bonus bill was before Republicans of the house ways and means committee again today and they were hopeful of completing the final draft before night. It would then be submitted to the entire committee.

It was indicated its presentation in the house would be delayed for several days. One important proposal is that covering payment to immediate relatives of former service men who have died or may die before enactment of the legislation. Representative Longworth of Ohio and some others are opposed to this provision and it appeared doubtful if it would be approved.

Under the provisions as now drawn a veteran would mean any individual who was a member of the military or naval forces of the United States at any time after April 5, 1917 (the date of the war declaration) and before Nov. 12, 1918 (the day after the signing of the armistice). In computing the length of service credit would be given for time served up to July 1, 1919.

## PARTY LEADERS MEET IN RALEIGH

**Luke Lamb is Expected to Succeed His Father, the Late Wilson G. Lamb, on the Democratic Committee.**

(By Max Abernethy.)

Raleigh, Mar. 7.—Republican and Democratic State committees in session here today and tomorrow will start the political fireworks anew for the 1922 campaigns.

Little for publication is expected to come to the surface following the meetings but the undercurrent will be surcharged with all manner of political formations. Some will materialize and some will never reach fruition. Probably the greater number of line-ups proposed will be dashed to pieces against the political breakers; equally as many will die aborning.

Both executive committees meet in biennial session to decide upon the time and places for their respective State conventions. After this business is attended to the political leaders will be ready to quit the capital for their homes.

Vacancies in the personnel of the committees are to be filled. The Democrats will propose Luke Lamb of the State department of revenue as successor to the late Col. Wilson G. Lamb of Williamston. Mr. Lamb is the son of the veteran Democrat who died two weeks ago at Rocky Mount after serving continuously on the committee for over forty years. Whether any other changes will be made is not known today. The personnel of the Republican committee is expected to remain the same.

Both parties will do considerable lobby talk as to the most effective way of cutting the other's throat, politically speaking, while the committees are assembling for business.

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## LODGE BELIEVES NEW PACT ENDS LANSING TREATY

VISITED THE PRESIDENT

**After the Conference Between Lodge and Mr. Harding Prompt Response by the President to the Borah Resolution the Treaty Question is Expected.**

Washington, Mar. 7.—Prompt response by President Harding to the Borah resolution inquiring as to the status of the Lansing-Ishii agreement between the United States and Japan in the event of ratification of the four power Pacific treaty was indicated today after the President had conferred with Senator Lodge of the foreign relations committee.

Senator Lodge spent considerable time with the President today presumably discussing the Borah resolution which was adopted yesterday by the Senate after Senators Underwood of Alabama and Lodge, both arms conference delegates had expressed the view that the four power treaty disposed of the Lansing-Ishii agreement by which the United States recognized Japan's possession of a special sphere of influence in China.

The President may send his reply to the resolution to the senate during the day.

### MORE IRISH TROUBLE

Belfast, March 7.—Rioting in Hanover street this afternoon resulted in firing into a crowd by militia, killing two boys and wounding another. The Lord Mayor announced the imposition of martial law.

### FRUIT TREES WILL FLANK HIGHWAYS.

Hickory, March 6.—If the plans of the Newton and Hickory Kiwanis clubs mature, the hard-surface road in Catawba county will be flanked by a row of shade or fruit trees on each side. The matter has gone so far that each club has appointed committees to co-operate for the purpose of working out the details. It is the purpose of those organizations to enlist the support of other civic clubs in the county and to select some special day, probably Arbor day and complete the whole job. Between 15 and 20 miles would be planted on each side of the highway.

There is some difference as to the sort of trees to plant—whether they should be shade or fruit—but sentiment seems in favor of fruit. It is pointed out that in spring, summer and fall the trees will not only look beautiful, but will yield fruit and be a drawing card that could not be resisted.

## BURGLARS HAD TAKEN ALL

Tampa, Fla., Mar. 7.—John B. Sutton, Tampa business man, whose home burglars have ransacked four times within the last two months has an advertisement in a local newspaper asking marauders to stay away from his place. "I have very little left now worth taking. Please pass me by for awhile," the advertisement reads.

### GENERAL NEWS

Miami, Florida officials are closely guarding E. C. Frady, Chicago automobile man, who killed his wife recently, it having been reported that a band of Frady's friends planned to kidnap Frady and take him to Cuba.

April tenth has been definitely settled upon as the date for the opening of the Genoa economic conference. Italy, who has been bothered with a cabinet crisis, has stated that she will be ready for the conference on that date.

## ONLY MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE TO BE SENT TO ALABAMA

EXPENSES AT \$2,000

**General Pershing Asks that the Committee Stop off at Camp Benning, Ga. But the Committee Will Wait to See if the House Will Allow Them to go First.**

Washington, Mar. 7.—A resolution authorizing the appropriation of \$2,000 to defray the expenses of the government committee which will inspect the government properties at Muscle Shoals, was introduced today in the house by Chairman Kahn. The resolution included only authorization for the committee to make the trip and did not open the way for any others to go.

In announcing introduction of the resolution Mr. Kahn informed the committee that he had received a message from General Pershing asking them to include Camp Benning, Ga., in this trip. The committee took the general's invitation under advisement awaiting action by the house in its passage before deciding on an itinerary.

### SERVICES TOMORROW.

Elders J. W. Wyatt and B. F. House will preach at the Wilson Primitive Baptist church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

### MARKETS

#### COTTON.

New York, Mar. 7.—Cotton futures opened steady, May 18.15, July 17.40, Oct. 16.78, Jan. unquoted.

New York, March 7.—Firm Liverpool cables accompanied by better Manchester advices and reports that the heavy eastern belt rains were delaying new crop preparations seemed responsible for an opening advance of 17 to 19 points in the cotton market. There was buying by brokers with Wall Street, New Orleans and domestic trade connection with advances which met considerable realizing.

#### N. Y. COTTON OPENED

Mar. 18.40, May 18.13, July 17.41, Oct. 16.29, Dec. 16.57.

#### N. Y. COTTON CLOSED

Mar. 18.12, May 17.90, July 17.22, Oct. 16.63, Dec. 16.50.

#### 12 O'CLOCK MARKET

Mar. 18.31, May 18.07, July 17.40, Oct. 16.78, Dec. 16.60.

Spots Wilson market 16 3/4c.

#### LIVERPOOL OPENED

Mar. 19.02, May 10.00, July 10.00, Oct. 9.72.

#### LIVERPOOL CLOSED

Mar. 10.19, May 10.16, July 10.09, Oct. 9.73.

#### CHICAGO GRAIN OPENED

Wheat, May 1.42 3/4, July 1.21. Corn, May 64, July 66 3/4. Oats, May 41 1/8, July 43.

#### CHICAGO GRAIN CLOSED

Wheat, May 1.41 5/8, July 1.20. Corn May 63 3/4, July 66 1/4. Oats, May 41 3/8, July 43.

#### FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Sterling 433 3/4, France 903 1/2, Lire 916 1/2, Marks 39.

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#### STOCKS.

New York, Mar. 7.—Prices were firm at the opening of today's stock market but irregular reactions soon set in. Consolidated Gas, a feature of yesterday's rally eased one point. Motors and independent steel especially Chandler, Studebaker, Ford and Fuel and Gulf States Steel led large fractions.

## URGES EUROPE TO BE ECONOMICAL IN PRESENT REVERSES

ECONOMIC DEFENSIVE

**America Considers Herself the Reservoir of Surplus Capital and She Must Remain Strong and Conserve Her Capital That it be Not Wasted on Extravagant Nations.**

(By David Lawrence.)  
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Washington, March 6.—The United States government is taking steps to prevent American money from being used wastefully in Europe and to compel foreign peoples who seek loans here to promise to use capital for reproductive purposes only.

The full significance of what the American government insists is not a political but an economic defensive measure is just becoming apparent. With the failure of European countries to balance their budgets because they are spending too much money for the maintenance of armies, there has developed a tendency on the part of municipalities as well as central governments abroad to finance themselves loosely on the expectation that they can always make up their deficits by borrowing through American banking concerns.

This process however will be abruptly halted by the United States government through the use of its moral influence and its power of publicity. The views of the Administration are summed up by Herbert Hoover as follows:

"America is today the remaining great reservoir of surplus capital, and we must remain strong and conserve the rightful use of this capital if the world is to recover. We will need much of it for the rebuilding of our homes and our public utilities, stagnated today through the qualities in readjustment between industries. But our surplus even then is greater than our needs, and it would be disaster if it were dissipated in wasteful expenditures abroad.

"All loans to foreign nations which are not employed in reproductive work are a destruction of the capital. It is vital that our bankers and investors should scrutinize the loans to which they are asked to subscribe that they may make sure that they are to be employed for reproductive purposes or the refunding of outstanding obligations. The furnishing of raw materials, the construction of transportation facilities, public utilities, factories and work throughout the world, is a use for American capital that blesses both the borrower and the lender. The rebuilding of the rest of the world and its consuming power adds primarily to world well-being, but it also adds to the demand for our own labor, the products of our own farmers, and the services of our own merchants.

"But loans that are dissipated in military expenditure or in unbalanced budgets in the bolstering up of inflated currencies, are a double loss to the world. They are not only a loss in that they add nothing to the increased productivity to the consuming power of the world but they are a loss in that they entail the postponement of those measures which are vital for the economic rehabilitation of the world."

This viewpoint on which President Harding and his Cabinet are in unanimous agreement is in reality a sequel to the failure of the Washington arms conference to do anything on land armament. It is protested that the move is made in defense of America's economic situation. That is true but the whole economic problem in Europe is so interrelated to the question of expenditures for large standing armies that the United States is taking its own protective measures and precautions so that American money will not assist inflation but will tend to reduce its scope.

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## ONE DEAD, MANY INJURED IN TORNADO, DAMAGE IS ABOUT FIFTY THOUSAND

WILBANKS WAS CENTER

**The Storm Was Three Yards to Half a Mile Wide and Extended for About Three Miles in the County; Houses Were Completely Demolished; Number of Injured Were Brought to Local Hospitals in Ambulances Which Were Rushed to the Scene.**

One person killed, fifteen more or less badly hurt, some of them seriously, and property damage estimated from \$40,000 to \$50,000 is the toll of a cyclone which swept through the Evansdale section on the Norfolk Southern railroad about six miles east of Wilson about nine o'clock this morning.

The storm was from three hundred yards to a half mile wide and extended a distance of three miles. It tore houses, barns and other buildings in shreds, and in the path of the storm swept everything clean. Whole families were blown out into the fields, several hundreds of yards away. Tinners were scattered to splinters. Several of the families were down with the flu and these were taken to the houses of neighbors. Doctors and ambulances from Wilson went out to bring them into town to the hospitals. Nearly all the doctors and nurses from Wilson were requisitioned. In one neighbors house were six people, hurt, in another five and in another four.

Messrs W. W. Graves and U. H. Cozart and Ed Graves had several houses, pack and horse sheds and barns blown down. Messrs. John Corbett and Dave Woodard lost heavily in their plantations.

The negro woman killed was a school teacher named Arzula Falke wife of Hiram Falke a colored barber of this city. She with another teacher Daisy H. Cooper and Sallie Swinson who went from Wilson this morning had alighted from the Norfolk Southern train when it arrived in Evansdale. They were walking along the track on the way to the school they teach when the storm struck and a piece of timber from a dwelling owned by Mr. Will Graves struck the Falke woman and killed her instantly. The Cooper woman escaped unhurt, while the Swinson woman was hurt on the leg and head by flying debris. This house was occupied by Fred Beasley a tenant on Mr. Graves farm. The sides were blown out, the roof taken off and parts of it scattered a distance of a hundred yards. Further up the track another house of Mr. Graves was blown to pieces. How the people escaped is a mystery.

Across the Norfolk and Southern track the cyclone proceeded, leveling trees and houses in its path. At this point it was not more than a quarter of a mile wide. When it struck Mr. John Corbetts farm it had stretched to a half mile in width. The western side of the storm took a part of the shed and roof of the Corbett house, smokehouse and nearer the road from Evansdale close to the Taylor home it blew down the house of Isom Ruffin, and the barn and stable and made kindling wood of them. It proceeded along the road and swept the house where Tom Barnes resides and blew to pieces all the outhouses, pack house and three barns. Here the people were blown into the fields nearby.

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## FIRST NATIONAL BASKETBALL

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 7.—Grove City College, Penn., will represent western Pennsylvania and West Virginia in the first National inter-collegiate basketball tournament here this week. It was announced by Chamber of Commerce officials.

Ryger will represent the Atlantic Seaboard Wabash College will contest for the middle west, North Carolina will play for the south and Missouri will represent the Missouri Valley.

### WEATHER.

For North Carolina generally fair and colder tonight, Wednesday, fair colder in east portion, strong west and northwest winds, gales on the coast.

## STORM STRUCK FURTHER SOUTH

**Six Lives Were Lost in Tornado Which Visited Little Towns in South Carolina Early Today.**

Augusta, Ga., Mar. 7.—Six persons are known to have been killed and a score injured in the wind and rain storm which early today flooded streams and caused much property damage in South Carolina and Georgia.

Four mill villages, Langley, Stiffleton, Graniteville and Warrenton, in the Horse Creek valley of South Carolina were struck by a tornado just before day break and houses were swept away, trees uprooted and telegraph poles felled leaving the section in darkness and without communication with the outside world.

The victims were caught underneath their fallen homes. In some sections the storm swept away everything in its path scattering parts of furniture and buildings over the fields.

The front of the storm appeared to have hit Warrenton and Stiffleton where six persons are known to be dead. Every house in a row of twelve except one in Warrenton were razed.

In Macon the rain fall was described as the heaviest in 23 years and the weather bureau was preparing to issue storm warnings along the Ocmulgee and Oconee rivers. Around Milledgeville dirt roads and bridges were reported washed out and all train service entering Milledgeville was suspended.

Augusta, Ga., Mar. 7.—Langley and Warrenton, two towns, in South Carolina are reported wiped out by a storm that swept through this section early today. Several persons are said to have been killed at Langley. Wire communication with the places struck by the storm is cut off.

## IMPLEMENT MEN GATHERING HERE

**The Annual Meeting Opening This Afternoon and Will Continue Through Thursday, Prominent Men Present.**

Probably 85 members of the Virginia and North Carolina Implement and Vehicle Dealers Association were in Wilson this afternoon for the opening meeting of the annual session of the Association which convened in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. Other dealers are expected to arrive tonight and tomorrow for the sessions which will extend through Thursday.

The meeting opened with Mr. Mac D. Holliday of Dunn, president of the Association, presiding, Dr. F. S. Love, pastor of the First Methodist church here, pronounced the invocation.

Mr. W. A. Lucas in a clever address welcomed the visitors. President Holliday responded with a few appropriate remarks, after which he turned the meeting over to Mr. Grant Wright, of Philadelphia. Mr. Wright made an interesting talk.

There will be no session this evening, the dealers re-convening in the morning. General business conditions and the implement industry in general will be discussed at the meeting, and the problems of the implement dealers will be thoroughly gone into.

Dealers from different sections of North Carolina and Virginia are in attendance. There are also prominent in the implement here from Chicago, Philadelphia and other large cities. Mr. T. W. Nigier of Richmond, Va., secretary of the Association, is in attendance.

### NURSES MEET

The Wilson Nurses Association is in session here today.